



OVERVIEW:

- 83,000 refugee children are aged 3-17 years as of October 2017
- 62,000 (74%) refugee children enrolled in formal and non-formal education programs
- 21,000 (26%) children have no access to any form of education

HIGHLIGHTS:

Access:

- Since the new academic year started in October the majority of Syrian refugees children were reported to have transitioned to the next level of education.
- More than 2300 (48% Female) new learners were enrolled into first grade in October 2017.
- The Kurdistan Regional Government introduced the integrated approach to enroll children in Sulaymaniyah, Erbil and Duhok into public Schools.

Quality:

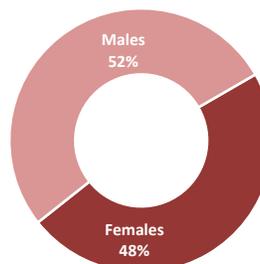
226 (168 male) were provided with monthly incentives to continue teaching in refugee schools.

System Strengthening:

300 (200 female) Parent Teacher Association (PTA) members were trained on school improvement plans for the month of October.

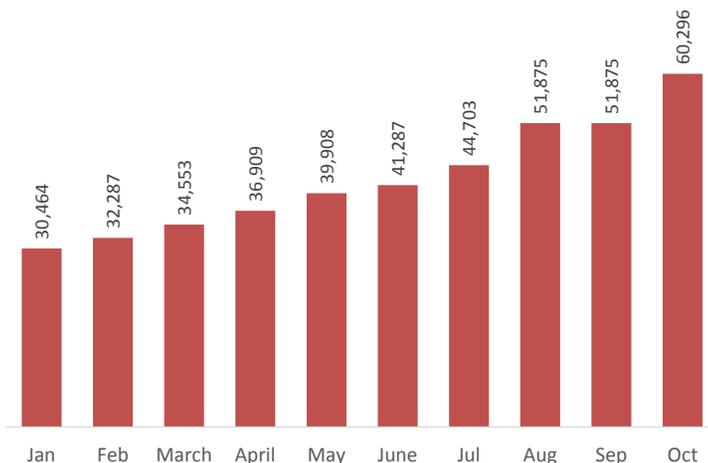


A class in session at a school in Domiz Refugee Camp, Dohuk Governorate, Iraq



Gender Disaggregation of Refugee School aged Children Supported

Children Reached by Education Cluster Partners per month in 2017



NEEDS ANALYSIS:

3RP Development Process for 2018.

The month of October saw the kick-start of the process of updating the 3RP for 2018-2019.

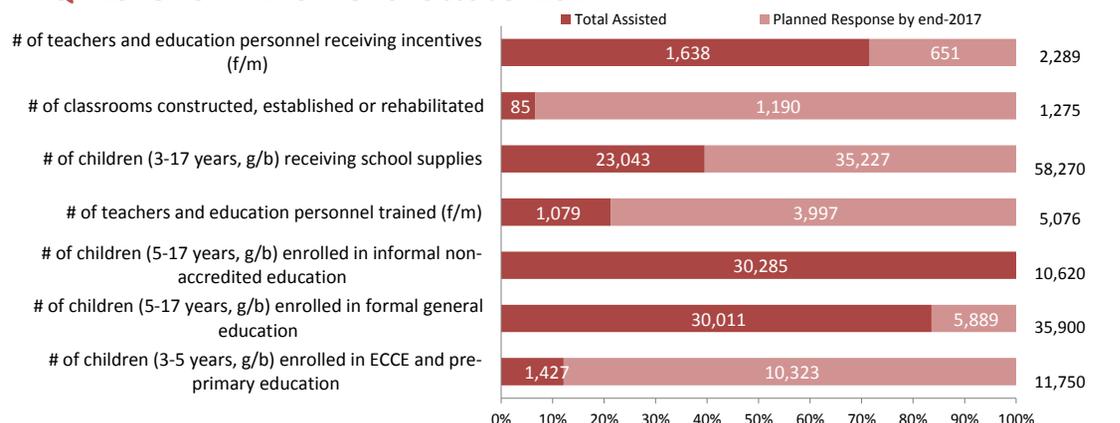
A workshop was held with key partners working on education response to discuss the education plan including achievements in 2017 vs. planned activities for 2018.

Some agencies that work on refugee education (NRC, UNICEF, IRC, PUI, PWJ, INTERSOS, UNHCR, UNESO, SCCI and IOM) have appealed for some \$30 million (about \$20 million for the refugee component and \$10 million for the resilience component of the 3RP).

The objectives of 3RP 2018-19 were:

- Increase equal and sustainable access to formal and non-formal education for refugee children, adolescents and youth.
- Improve the quality of formal and non-formal education for refugee children, adolescents and youth for improved literacy, numeracy and resilience.
- Strengthen the capacity of the education system to plan and deliver a timely, appropriate and evidence-based education response.
- In 2018 the 3RP planning figures are 71,000 children will be supported to access basic education with \$29 million required to reach a targeted number of beneficiaries for 2018.

IRAQ RESPONSE INDICATORS: October 2017*



*The Numbers visualized above are based on the reports retrieved from Activityinfo as provided by the partners involved in the Refugee response as of Aug 2017.

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